# William N Crozier

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Birth: ~~1868~~ 30 January 1863
Death: 1945

Burial:
Ridgewood Cemetery
North Liberty
Johnson County
Iowa, USA
Plot: Penn Addition, Lot 60, Plot 8

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**Siblings:**

- Augustus W. Crozier (1867-1942)
- John P. Crozier (1868-1949)
- Arthur B. Crozier (
- Ruth M. Crozier (1886-1966)

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# William N. Crozier

## in the 1880 United States Federal Census

| | |
|---|---|
| Name: | William N. Crozier |
| Age: | 17 |
| Birth Year: | abt 1863 |
| Birthplace: | Illinois |
| Home in 1880: | Deek Creek, Allen, Kansas |
| Race: | White |
| Gender: | Male |
| Relation to Head of House: | Son |
| Marital Status: | Single |
| Father's name: | William Crozier |
| Father's Birthplace: | Illinois |
| Mother's name: | Cornelia Crozier |
| Mother's Birthplace: | Ohio |
| Neighbors: | View others on page |
| Occupation: | Helps On Farm |
| Cannot read/write: Blind: Deaf and Dumb: Otherwise disabled: Idiotic or insane: | View image |

Household Members:

| Name | Age |
|---|---|
| William Crozier | 50 |
| Cornelia Crozier | 34 |
| William N. Crozier | 17 |
| Augustus Crozier | 13 |
| John P. Crozier | 11 |
| Arther B. Crozier | 4 |
| Cornelia Newell | 57 |

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### Suggested Records

- 1940 United States Federal Census
  William Newell Crozier
- 1930 United States Federal Census
  William N Crozier
- U.S. Passport Applications, 1795-1925
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  William N Crozier
- 1870 United States Federal Census
  William Crozier
- Kansas State Census Collection, 1855-1925
  W M Crozier

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2d PASSPORT APPLICATION SUBMITTED AT THE US LEGATION IN SHANGHAI, CHINA 23 AUGUST 1893

[Edition of July, 1888.]

# NATIVE.

Fee for Passport, - - - $1.00.
Fee for filling out application in duplicate, - - - .50
Fee for administering oath in duplicate, - - - - .50

CHINESE NAME

No. 艾 華 壽 ISSUED, ....., 18.....

William N. Crozier, a ~~naturalized~~ native and loyal citizen of the United States, do hereby apply to the Legation of the United States at Peking for a passport for myself ~~and wife, and my minor children~~ as follows: ..... born at ..... on the ..... day of ....., 18....., and .....

In support of the above application, I do solemnly swear that I was born at Paris, in the State of Illinois, on or about the 30 day of January, 1863; that my father is a native citizen of the United States; that I am domiciled in the United States, my permanent residence being at Fayetteville, in the State of Arkansas, where I follow the occupation of clergyman; that I left the United States on the ..... day of August, 18.....; and am now temporarily sojourning at Shanghai; that I am the bearer of Passport No. ....., issued by State Dept on the 30 day of June, 1891; that I intend to return to the United States after a few years with the purpose of residing and performing the duties of citizenship therein; and that I desire the passport for the purpose of traveling in the Peking, Shantung Province.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE.

Further, I do solemnly swear that I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: So help me God.

William N. Crozier

Legal.

LEGATION OF THE UNITED STATES AT Shanghai

Sworn to before me, this 23 day of August, 1893

F. D. Jones
Secretary of Legation

DESCRIPTION OF APPLICANT.

Age: 30 years
Stature: 5 feet 7½ inches, Eng.
Forehead: high
Eyes: grey
Nose: straight
Mouth: medium
Chin: round
Hair: light
Complexion: light
Face: medium

IDENTIFICATION.

Aug. 23, 1893

I hereby certify that I know the above-named William N. Crozier personally, and know him to be a native-born citizen of the United States, and that the facts stated in his affidavit are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

F. D. Jones

[Address of witness.] .....

NOTE.—This form is to be filled out in duplicate, one copy being retained on the files of the Legation and the other forwarded with the quarterly returns to the Department of State. It may be so filled out by the applicant, in which case no fee therefor is chargeable.

SAVE &

# William N Crozier

in the U.S. Passport Applications, 1795-1925

| | |
|---|---|
| Name: | William N Crozier |
| Birth Date: | 30 Jan 1863 |
| Birth Place: | Paris, Illinois |
| Age: | 29 |
| Passport Issue Date: | 1892 |
| Passport Includes a Photo: | No |
| Residence: | Fayetteville, Arkansas |

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; Roll #: *8*; Volume #: *Volume 011: Belgium to Egypt*

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# Boxer Rebellion

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*For the rock band from London, see The Boxer Rebellion (band).*
*"The Boxers" redirects here. For other uses, see Boxers (disambiguation).*

The **Boxer Rebellion**, **Boxer Uprising** or **Yihetuan Movement** was an anti-imperialist uprising which took place in China towards the end of the Qing dynasty between 1899 and 1901. It was initiated by the Militia United in Righteousness (*Yihetuan*), known in English as the "Boxers", and was motivated by proto-nationalist sentiments and opposition to foreign imperialism and associated Christian missionary activity. The Great Powers intervened and defeated the Chinese forces.

The uprising took place against a background of severe drought and the disruption caused by the growth of foreign spheres of influence. After several months of growing violence against the foreign and Christian presence in Shandong and the North China plain, in June 1900, Boxer fighters, convinced they were invulnerable to foreign weapons, converged on Beijing with the slogan "Support Qing government and exterminate the foreigners." Foreigners and Chinese Christians sought refuge in the Legation Quarter. In response to reports of an armed invasion to lift the siege, the initially hesitant Empress Dowager Cixi supported the Boxers and on June 21 declared war on the foreign powers. Diplomats, foreign civilians and soldiers as well as Chinese Christians in the Legation Quarter were placed under siege by the Imperial Army of China and the Boxers for 55 days.

Chinese officialdom was split between those supporting the Boxers and those favoring conciliation, led by Prince Qing. The supreme commander of the Chinese forces, the Manchu General Ronglu (Junglu), later claimed that he acted to protect the besieged foreigners. The Eight-Nation Alliance, after being initially turned back, brought 20,000 armed troops to China, defeated the Imperial Army, and captured Beijing on August 14, lifting the siege of the Legations. Uncontrolled plunder of the capital and the surrounding countryside ensued, along with the summary execution of those suspected of being Boxers.

The Boxer Protocol of September 7, 1901 provided for the execution of government officials who had supported the Boxers, provisions for foreign troops to be stationed in Beijing, and 450 million taels of silver—more than the government's annual tax revenue—to be paid as indemnity over the course of the next thirty-nine years to the eight nations involved.[6]

The Iowa City Press-Citizen
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## MISSIONARY AT NORTH BEND

**Gave Illustrated Lecture at Bethel Church Last Sunday—Other News.**

North Bend, December 30.—Mr. Bert Myers of Mt. Vernon, Ia. greeted a large number of his old friends in this locality during the past week, and was a guest at the home of his sister, Mrs. Mabel Snavely.

Mr. John Bealer, a former resident of this community, but now of Beatrice, Nebraska, spent Christmas at the home of his brother, Henry Bealer.

The Reverend Crozier, a returned missionary from the foreign fields, gave an illustrated lecture at the Bethel church on last Sunday evening. He produced a large number of stereoptican views, showing scenes in China and other portions of the old world. A large crowd was present to enjoy the lecture.

## NEWS FROM RIVERSIDE

**ACCIDENTS BEFALL LADIES.**

**Iowa City Basketball Players Meet Riverside Team—Other News.**

Riverside, Iowa, November 24—A few days ago while going home from church Mrs. Margaret Schnoebelen fell on the sidewalk and broke her right arm above and below the elbow.

Mrs. P. A. Cummings visited her brother, Mm. Myers, south of Kalona during the past week.

Last week Mrs. Emily Webster fell and hurt her knee very badly.

The M. E. Aid society put off their box social until Thanksgiving evening.

Rev. Crozier went to Kalona Friday morning where he delivered his stereopticon lecture on China under the auspices of the Epworth league in the evening.

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Published 1925.0730, p.9
North Liberty byline

Mr. and Mrs. John Crozier mottored to Riverside recently to visit with the former's brother, Mr. William Crozier.

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## Riverside Personals

Rev. W. N. Crozier attended an informal reunion of all of his living brothers and sisters at North Liberty last week. Those present for the two-day event were A. W Crozier of Chicago, John P. Crozier of North Liberty, Ruth M Crozier of Arkansas and W. N. Crozier of Riverside.

Dr. and Mrs. Mark Avoy of Davenport were guests this week in the home of Mrs. Joseph Heitzman and family.

## Mrs. Stanley Heck Of Riverside Is Feted on Birthday

RIVERSIDE — Mrs Stanley

The Iowa City Press-Citizen
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**Croziers Riverside Residents**

The name Crozier which was familiar to many Riverside residents for many years is with us again. Mr. and Mrs. John Crozier of New York City are the student couple who are living in the apartment at the Glenn Bouquot home. Mr. Crozier is a student and part time instructor in the Iowa university in Iowa City.

The former William N Crozier, who resided in Riverside for over 25 years, was a former minister but conducted a photograph gallery while here. He died about five years ago.

The Entire Student Body of Nichols High School in Nichols, Iowa
Photographed in September, 1910, by William N. Crozier of Riverside, Iowa
Picture Source: Keith Mills Collection

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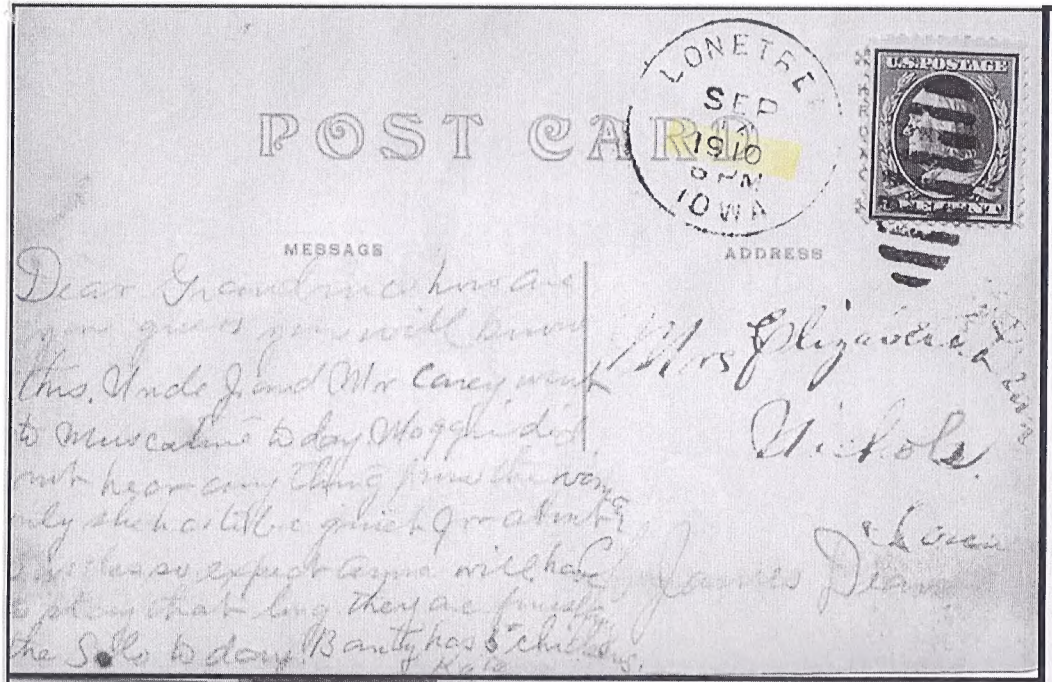

This a picture of the students and their teacher, Margaret L. Hess, at Fremont #6 rural school located one mile due south of the Town of Lone Tree, Iowa. The school year had commenced on Monday, August 29, 1910. This picture was probably taken during that first week of school as the Penny Post Card on which it is printed has a post mark date of September 14, 1910.

## *Chronology Related to the Adjacent Post Card Photo*

***Derived from Sources Identified Therein & Genealogy Records on Ancestry.com***
***Compiled by Don Smith on 26 October 2015***

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|---|---|
| 1895.0306 | John Dean farmer died, age 54, buried St. Mary's Cemetery Nichols IA, survived by widow, Elizabeth Dean age 49, and 5 children: Mary, Katherine, Eugene, Lawrence, James & Thomas. |
| 1900.0000 | Plat map of Fremont Township, Johnson County, Iowa, shows Fremont #6 rural school located one mile due south of the Town of Lone Tree, Iowa. |
| 1900.0601 | 1900 US Census – Dean family all at home on farm in Pike Township of Muscatine County, Iowa – Children all adults. |
| 1901.0218 | Catharine Dean marries Joseph R. Brookhart at Nichols, Iowa. |
| 1904.0500 | Margaret Hess Graduates from Lone Tree High School. |
| 1910.0415 | 1910 US Census – Joseph & Catharine Brookhart & sons Edward (5) & Dean (2) on a farm they own in Freemont Twp, Johnson County, Iowa. Adjacent entry for Jacob Baker family includes a daughter Flossie age 8. |
| 1910.0829 | First day of school at Fremont Twp #6 rural school with Margaret Hess, teacher. "Edmond" Brookhart age 6 enrolled in 1st grade. Pearle Baker age 6, daughter of Carrie Huskins Baker & Fred Baker, in 1st grade. Flossie Baker age 8, daughter of Jacob & Jennie Baker, in 4th grade. |
| 1910. _____ | Photograph taken of students and teacher at Fremont #6 rural school. The teacher appears to be the same person identified as Margaret Hess in the 1904 Lone Tree High School class graduation picture, which I have. |
| 1910.0914 | Catherine Dean mails post card to her mother, Elizabeth Dean, in care of her brother, James Dean, at Nichols, Iowa. The picture of Fremont #6 teacher and students on the back of the post card includes "Kate's" son. |
| 1914.0831 | Term report of teacher Anna Dunn shows Flossie Baker in 7th grade, Pearle Baker in 5th grade and Edmond Brookhart in 4th grade. |
| 1916.0904 | Term report of teacher Mary Barnett shows Pearle Baker in 8th grade and Edmond Brookhart in 7th grade. |
| 1917.0000 | Plat map of Fremont Township shows Joseph Brookhart and Jacob Baker owned abutting farmland one mile due south of Lone Tree and directly across the road from the Fremont #6 school house |
| 1921.0500 | Flossie Baker is identified in the class picture as a [redacted] graduate of Lone Tree High School. I have that picture on my iMac. |

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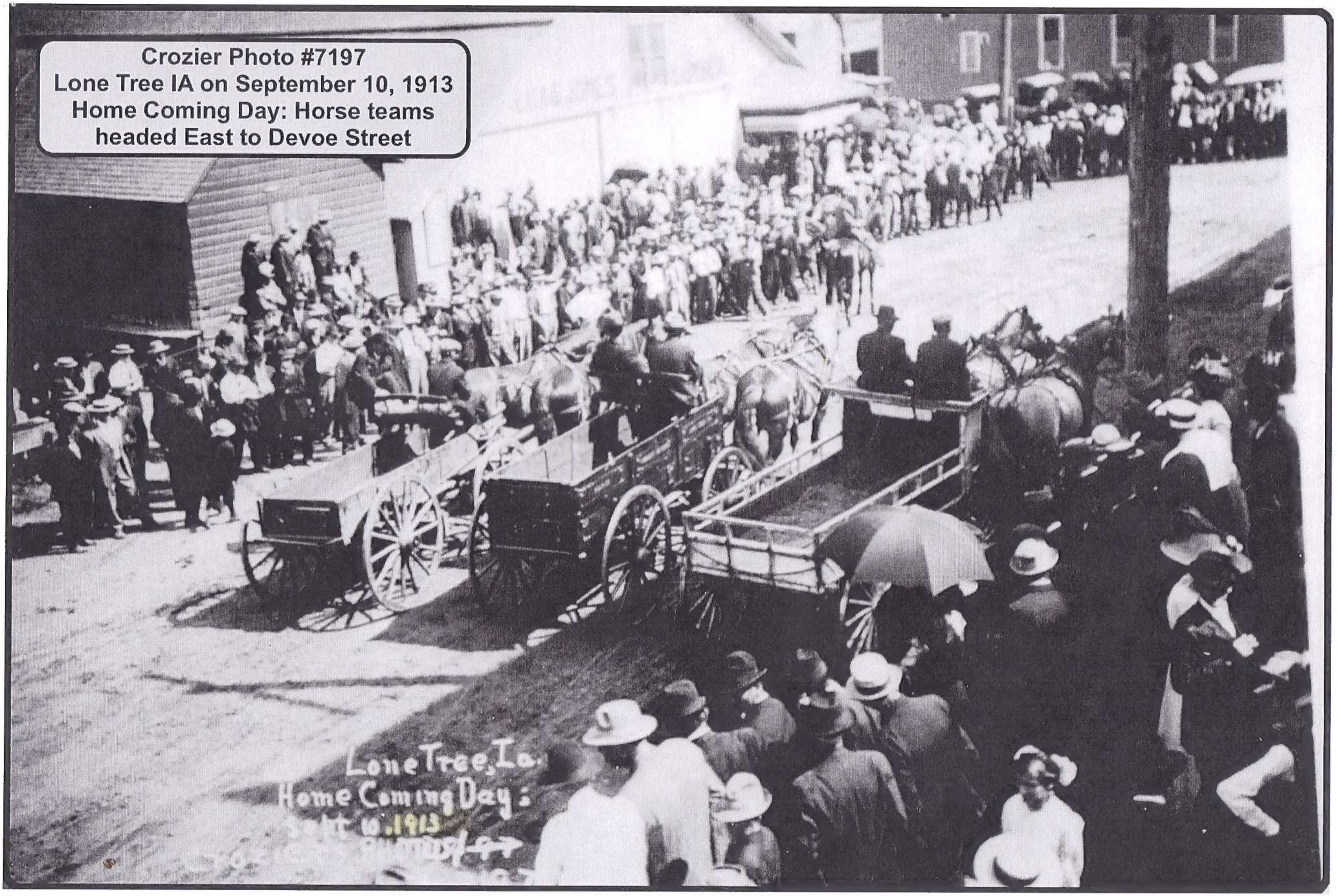
Railway Wreck, Nichols Ia May 27, 1913
PHOTO by W.N. Crozier, RIVERSIDE.


Crozier Photo #7197
Lone Tree IA on September 10, 1913
Home Coming Day: Horse teams
headed East to Devoe Street
Lone Tree, Ia.
Home Coming Day:

Crozier Photo #8961 — July 23, 1914
A view of the back (west) side of the new Lone Tree school building under construction. The old school building is still standing on the east side and can be seen through the second story open windows of the new building.

1919.0519 Irene McCullough | Sixth Grade Class Lone Tree IA

From L to R: Pearle Crawford [Baker] - Mabel Estle [Brown] - Irene McCullough [Wolf]
Mildred Posten [Williams] - Vera Huskins [Posten] - George Alvin Crawford

# William N Crozier

## in the 1930 United States Federal Census

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|---|---|
| Name: | William N Crozier |
| Birth Year: | abt 1863 |
| Gender: | Male |
| Race: | White |
| Birthplace: | Illinois |
| Marital Status: | Divorced |
| Relation to Head of House: | Head |
| Home in 1930: | Riverside, Washington, Iowa |
| Map of Home: | View Map |
| Dwelling Number: | 162 |
| Family Number: | 164 |
| Home Owned or Rented: | Rented |
| Home Value: | 3 |
| Radio Set: | Yes |
| Lives on Farm: | No |
| Attended School: | No |
| Able to Read and Write: | Yes |
| Father's Birthplace: | Illinois |
| Mother's Birthplace: | Ohio |
| Able to Speak English: | Yes |
| Occupation: | Photographer |
| Industry: | General practice |
| Class of Worker: | Working on own account |
| Employment: | Yes |
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Household Members:

| Name | Age |
|---|---|
| William N Crozier | 67 |

# John Paul Crozier

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Birth: Nov. 8, 1868
Burlington
Coffey County
Kansas, USA

Death: Mar. 14, 1949
North Liberty
Johnson County
Iowa, USA

John Paul Crozier was the son of William and Cornelia Crozier.

He married (first) Virginia Alma White on 2 May 1899 in North Liberty, Johnson Co., IA.

He married (second) Jessie E. McBride (after 1920).

Family links:
Spouses:
Virginia Alma *White* Crozier (1868 - 1942)
Jessie E *McBride* Crozier (1880 - 1946)

Children:
William Dwight Crozier (1900 - 1988)*

*Calculated relationship

Burial:
Ridgewood Cemetery
North Liberty
Johnson County
Iowa, USA
Plot: Penn Addition, Lot 60, Plot 11

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Record added: Nov 20, 2009
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# William Dwight Crozier

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Birth: May 24, 1900
Johnson County
Iowa, USA

Death: Sep. 24, 1988
Socorro
Socorro County
New Mexico, USA

William Dwight Crozier was the son of John Paul Crozier and Virginia Alma White.

He married Mabelle Bolton on 21 Apr 1935.

Family links:
Parents:
John Paul Crozier (1868 - 1949)
Virginia Alma *White* Crozier (1868 - 1942)

Spouse:
Mabelle *Bolton* Crozier (1904 - 1967)

Burial:
Ridgewood Cemetery
North Liberty
Johnson County
Iowa, USA
Plot: Penn Addition, Lot 61, Plot 10

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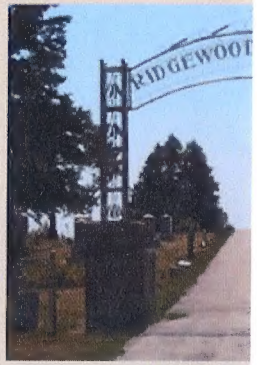

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### Mabel Myers

Mabel Myers was an ordinary farm wife as far as I know, but in one way I think she was quite extra-ordinary. Mabel had a talent for drawing and used it to create some beautiful cards which she sent to her friends in the community. I wonder if she was the poet who penned the verses too! In going through some old papers, I came across a number of these cards which had been sent to our house. Though you can't see their delicate colors, you can see what a good artist she was.

### John Crozier

There are many postcards in existence today which show scenes of North Liberty life. The photographer is named on one of them as John Crozier. He usually carefully labeled each photo in white ink. Without these photos, many buildings and people now long gone, would be completely forgotten and unavailable to future generations except by words. The drawings in this stack were made possible by the existence of photos left by Mr. Crozier.

Annotation by Don Smith 2015.1225 – John P. Crozier of North Liberty IA and William N. Crozier of Riverside IA were sons of William Crozier of Kansas. John Crozier named his only son William D. Crozier after the boy's grandfather. John P. Crozier was a farmer in Penn Township.

William N. Crozier of Riverside IA was a professional photographer for period beginning sometime before 1910 and ending sometime after 1930. From 1910 to 1930, he took an estimated 30,000 pictures in the communities of North Liberty, Riverside, Lone Tree and Nichols. The estimate is based on sequential serial numbers he etched on many of his picture negatives. He aggressively sought out school class pictures at the beginning of school years and public events such as town homecoming days in the fall. His objective was to sell his printed pictures to persons participating in these events. He would provide identifying information on many of his prints by etching onto the negative "Crozier Photo," a serial number, the date, and the event, but this was not done with consistency.

The time period 1907-1915 is known as the Golden Age of Picture Postcards. The US Postal Service had authorized the private printing of penny postcards with a picture on all of the front side and, on the back side, a message space on the left half and an address space on the right half. In 1910, William N. Crozier was printing school pictures on a new "Kruxo" variety photo stock postcard that was sold by the Kilborn Photo-Paper Co. of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, for several years thereafter. Those postcards had the word "Kruxo" printed on all four sides of the stamp box. Picture postcards of that era were (and still are) highly prized collectibles.

# NORTH LIBERTY LEADER CENTENNIAL

**1913** EDITION **2013**

A Special Supplement to the November 6, 2013, North Liberty Leader

The men of North Liberty gather for a trapshooting contest during a July 4th celebration in 1914 The photograph was taken by Will D. Crozier of Riverside.

William N. Crozier

Source: http://www.northlibertyleader.com/content/north-liberty-leader-centennial-edition (2015.1225 DLS)